



Attorney Docket No. 60674 (49381)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICANT: NAGAO, et al.

Confirmation: 3540

U.S.S.N.: 10/772,771

Group Art Unit: 3654

FILED: February 4, 2004

Examiner: Kumar, Rakesh

FOR: SHEET FEEDING APPARATUS, IMAGE READING APPARATUS AND  
IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS

Mail Stop AF  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

\*\*\*\*\*  
CERTIFICATE OF EXPRESS MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as Express Mail Label No. **EV 755070098 US** in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on August 15, 2006.

By: Barbaranne Jenness  
Barbaranne Jenness

.....  
**RESPONSE TO FINAL REJECTION**

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendment of the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.

Okay to enter on  
Appeal (PK 09/16/2006)